

Murphy's List of Appropriations Requests for the Fifth District

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Project: Connecticut Institute for Communities

Amount Requested: \$1,000,000

Description: Environmental Working Capital Fund project to conduct brownfields remediation and clean up of the Batchelder property.

Project: Cornelia de Lange Syndrome Foundation

Amount Requested: \$1,200,000

Description: Provide education, outreach and diagnostics for families affected by Cornelia de Lange Syndrome.

Project: Council of Governments of the Central Naugatuck Valley

Amount Requested: \$150,000

Description: Naugatuck River Greenway Design study the project will provide a plan with which the greenway trail can be built along the Naugatuck River.

Project: City of Danbury

Amount Requested: \$6,600,000

Description: Conduct drainage improvements along Main Street to prevent flooding.

Project: DRS Power Technology

Amount Requested: \$20,000,000

Description: Final design of the DDG 1000 Permanent Magnet Motor System; design and build a Hybrid Propulsion Permanent Magnet Drive System for the DDG 51; construct a solid state direct current circuit breaker protection prototype for Navy fleet.

Project: Electro Energy

Amount Requested: \$3,000,000

Description: Develop Bipolar Wafer-cell Nickel-Metal Hydride Aircraft Batteries to replace existing batteries currently in use for F-16 and other advanced fighter aircraft.

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Amount Requested: \$1,000,000

Description: Develop Bipolar Wafer-cell Nickel-Metal Hydride and Lithium-Ion Plug In Vehicle Batteries.

Project: Ensign-Bickford Aerospace & Defense Company

Amount Requested: \$5,000,000

Description: Begin integration of the Soldier Portable Solid Fuel Hydrogen Generator Cartridge system into fuel cell based, high-energy density power systems.

Project: Ensign-Bickford Aerospace & Defense Company

Amount Requested: \$7,000,000

Description: Continue production of the Anti-Personnel Obstacle Breaching System.

Project: Family Children's Aid of Danbury

Amount Requested: \$1,500,000

Description: Construct "Harmony House," which would be used to expand Family Children's Aid programs by providing outpatient clinical services to support children in foster homes.

Project: Family Services of Greater Waterbury

Amount Requested: \$230,000

Description: Expand Outpatient Counseling/Psychiatric services from just fewer than 7,000 annual sessions to 10,500 annual sessions primarily to uninsured and underinsured children and families.

Project: Fuel Cell Energy

Amount Requested: \$6,600,000

Description: Complete the 1 Megawatt Fuel Cell generator at the Marine Air/Ground Task Force Training Center at 29 Palms, California.

Project: Goodrich Corp.

Amount Requested: \$28,400,000

Description: Develop Terahertz (THz) Spectrometer technology for use in various Homeland Security and medical applications; establish a pre-positioned, rapid-response reconnaissance payloads for Operationally Responsive Spacecraft.

Project: Greater New Britain Teen Pregnancy Prevention Pathways/Senderos Center

Amount Requested: \$400,000

Description: Enhance current services and serve as a demonstration model for teen pregnancy prevention focused on Latino youth.

Project: Greater New Haven Clean Cities Coalition

Amount Requested: \$6,050,000

Description: Examine electrical energy production from the use of biodiesel, as well as the economic aspects and maintenance issues.

Project: Klingberg Family Centers

Amount Requested: \$460,000

Description: Provide at-risk youth with programs, as well as technology enhancements, quality assurance and outcomes measurement, and staff training and development.

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Amount Requested: \$590,000

Description: Special Education Enhancement Initiative, which includes academic and non-academic learning programs, technology enhancements, quality assurance and outcomes measurement, and staff training and development.

Project: City of Meriden

Amount Requested: \$3,200,000

Description: Factory H Demolition and Remediation project. This site was abandoned and is now blighted and contaminated, and once this site is demolished it will provide a catalyst for economic development.

Project: City of Meriden

Amount Requested: \$1,235,000

Description: West Main Street Streetscape re-paving project.

Project: New Britain Interoperable Public Safety System

Amount Requested: \$686,310

Description: Allow public safety field staff to fully participate in the regional mobile data network using mobile computers and handheld computers.

Project: New Britain Police Department

Amount Requested: \$2,000,000

Description: Construct a new police station with updated communications systems. This new station will replace a 40 year old station with critical infrastructure issues.

Project: Town of New Milford

Amount Requested: \$1,000,000

Description: Complete environmental cleanup to allow the town to expand its dwindling amount of usable industrial space.

Project: Town of Plymouth

Amount Requested: \$800,000

Description: Pave Fall Mountain Water Road with a pavement overlay along with some very limited drainage repairs.

Project: Town of Plymouth

Amount Requested: \$2,100,000

Description: Refurbish and dredge Lake Winfield, the town's only public swimming facility.

Project: Prime Time House

Amount Requested: \$244,000

Description: Expand programs which assist adults with serious mental illness find pathways back to independence and recovery by developing employment opportunities and increasing support provided to people returning to school and colleges.

Project: Prime Time House

Amount Requested: \$285,000

Description: Capital Expansion Project.

Project: Rehabilitation of New Britain-Plainville-Bristol Regional Pipeline

Amount Requested: \$2,750,000

Description: Clean and line with cement the six mile long, 24" diameter finished drinking water line that provides water to New Britain, Plainville, and Bristol, which was installed in 1908.

Project: Saint Mary's Hospital

Amount Requested: \$4,500,000

Description: Renovation and reconstruct the 8th floor of the O'Brien building, to add 21 additional Medical/Surgical beds to increase healthcare services to area patients.

Project: Seven North Industries, Inc.

Amount Requested: \$750,000

Description: Expand the development and deployment of CFC Fluid Filtration Rigs currently being used to remove contaminants from the external hydraulic fluid systems on the U.S. Navy Submarine Fleet.

Project: Silas Bronson Library

Amount Requested: \$1,000,000

Description: Renovate and expand the main library building in downtown Waterbury, as well as a community auditorium that is handicapped accessible and available for the community.

Project: Skiff Mountain Phase II

Amount Requested: \$770,000

Description: Purchase a conservation easement on 292 acres of land in the Highlands region.

Project: Simsbury Public Library

Amount Requested: \$325,000

Description: Renovate the existing 23,000 square feet of the library, and expand the current facility with the addition of a further 19,600 square feet and the addition of 23 parking spaces.

Project: StayWell Health Care, Inc.

Amount Requested: \$500,000

Description: Renovate StayWell Health Care facilities that would support long term energy conservation goals by replacing 30 year-old windows.

Project: Strategic Metals Corporation

Amount Requested: \$4,500,000

Description: Provide a Department of Defense-led study epidemiological and toxicological of the health and safety risks of Vanadium in DoD assets in order to develop biomarkers of exposure for a scientifically-based risk assessment.

Project: Torrington Community Health & Wellness Center of Greater Torrington

Amount Requested: \$650,000

Description: Design and add an additional 2000 square feet for the health center, and provide office equipment, medical equipment, and a generator to operate under emergency conditions to provide health care.

Project: Torrington Gateway Improvements

Amount Requested: \$240,000

Description: Landscaping and signage improvements along the roads at 8 key gateways into the city.

Project: Treadwell Corporation

Amount Requested: \$2,450,000

Description: Develop an undersea oxygen generation system for the Navy fleet.

Project: Tri-State Center for the Arts Sharon Playhouse

Amount Requested: \$500,000

Description: Renovate and expand the TriArts Sharon Playhouse's facilities to accommodate directors, productions managers, technical staff, interns, and other staff.

Project: Upper Housatonic Valley National Heritage Area

Amount Requested: \$1,000,000

Description: Upper Housatonic Valley National Heritage Area programs, maps, and trail markers.

Project: United Technologies Corporation

Amount Requested: \$20,000,000

Description: Demonstration for a Hydrogen PEM fuel cell medium/heavy duty battery for military vehicles; engineering for the NP 2000 eight-bladed composite propeller system for the Air National Guard C-130; develop high performance structural ceramic manufacturing for unmanned aerial vehicles and other Army rotorcraft applications.

Project: University of Connecticut

Amount Requested: \$15,600,000

Description: Bovine genetics research on for therapeutic applications in humans; research into properties of certain foods compound; partnership with U.S. Army Institute for Surgical Research to improve soldier recovery from catastrophic bone injuries; Live Cell Molecular Imaging System to study the Human Genome Project; construct facility for partnership with USDA Plum Island facility.

Project: US 44 Avon

Amount Requested: \$5,400,000

Description: Road improvements for safety and traffic operation on US 44 Avon, including the section on Avon Mountain.

Project: Warner Theatre

Amount Requested: \$50,000

Description: Provide low-income, at-risk students throughout the state of Connecticut with the opportunity to view live performances in a series tied directly to curriculums and study guides provided to teachers.

Project: Warner Theatre

Amount Requested: \$1,000,000

Description: Complete phase II of the theatre's expansion plans – renovate additional spaces next door to allow space for a black box theatre, dressing rooms, and classrooms.

Project: City of Waterbury

Amount Requested: \$500,000

Description: Blight improvements used to demolish abandoned residential and industrial buildings.

Project: Waterbury Health Access Project

Amount Requested: \$553,487

Description: Expand programming that provides quality medical care to uninsured low-income individuals in the Waterbury area, including case management, pharmaceutical benefits, and specialty care.

Project: Waterbury Hospital

Amount Requested: \$3,000,000

Description: Support the complete replacement of Waterbury Hospital's Clinical Information System health information technology initiative.

Project: Wolcott Tosun Road/Nutmeg Valley Road Industrial Area

Amount Requested: \$2,500,000

Description: Revitalize roadways, storm drainage systems, and water main design

Project: Central Connecticut State University

Amount Requested: \$500,223

Description: Outreach to high-achieving high school students in their junior year to provide support as they pursue their interest in science in high school and college.